of credit by the Accountant General's Office on the refund orders passed by the departmental Officers. As there will be some delay in the receipt of credits from other States and adjustment of the same in the Accountant General's Office this will cause hardship to the claimants. The Comptroller and Auditor General has therefore, suggested a change in the existing procedure in the matter. The revised procedure as proposed by Accountant General is accepted by Government of Mysore.

It is therefore directed that in future, the tenderers in other States should remit the Earnest Money Deposits direct to the Departmental Officers by means of bank drafts from the Scheduled Banks or the State Bank of India and the Departmental Officers should credit the proceeds of the Bank drafts into the Treasury/Bank under the head "Revenue Deposits.".

The Heads of Departments are requested to bring the above change in the procedure of accepting and accounting of Earnest Money Deposits to the notice of all their subordinate offices for their guidance. Amendments to the provision of Mysore Treasury Code will issue separately.

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Issues orders *re.* scrutiny of documents and watching other formalities by other States on reciprocal basis relating to House Building Advance to All India Service Officers intending to construct house outside this State.

REFERENCE —

Letter No. 13/3/68-AIS.III, dated 17th June 1968 from the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi.

PREAMBLE —

The Government of India in the Ministry of Home Affairs letter No. 8/12/58/-AIS (II), dated 18th March 1959, addressed to all State Governments, inviting reference to their letter of even number dated 29th November 1968, have stated that it has been decided in consultation with the State Governments, that where an All India Officer who has been granted loan for house building purposes by the State under whom he is serving at the time of such grant decides to construct the house outside that State, the State within whose jurisdiction the house is constructed should act as an Agent for the former State on a reciprocal basis and

(i) examine the correctness of title deeds.

(ii) watch the progress of construction

and

(iii) enforce mortgage proceedings in case of default in the observance of the conditions on which the loan has been granted,

the cost of verification of title deeds being borne by the members of the All India Services seeking loans for house building purposes.

It is considered necessary to sanction the advance for All India Services Officers to construct houses, etc., outside the State of their allotment.

ORDER No. FD 330 PLH 68, BANGALORE, DATED THE 17TH JANUARY 1969.

Government are pleased to direct that advances for House Building/House Purchase/House Repairs to members of the All India Services allotted to the State of Mysore, may be sanctioned by the Government for building/purchasing/repairing a house in any place situated outside the State of Mysore, the cost of verification of title deeds in other States, if any, being borne by the Members of the All India Services seeking loans for House Building purposes.

By Order and in the name of the Governor of Mysore.

MAZHARUL HAKH,
Under Secretary to Government,
Finance Department.